

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

- 1 1. A method comprising:
2 stacking an upper die having an upper top surface and upper first, second, third,
3 and fourth edges on top of a lower die having a lower top surface and lower first,
4 second, third, and fourth edges such that the upper first edge is displaced from the
5 lower first edge by a first distance, the upper first and third edges being opposite to
6 each other, the lower first and third edges being opposite to each other, the upper top
7 surface facing toward the lower top surface; and
8 attaching the upper die to the lower die with an adhesive layer between the
9 upper and lower dies.
- 1 2. The method of claim 1 further comprising:
2 attaching upper and lower conductors to upper and lower bond pads of the
3 upper and lower dies at the upper and lower first edges, respectively, such that the
4 upper and lower conductors are separated by a conductor distance.
- 1 3. The method of claim 1 further comprising:
2 attaching upper and lower conductors to upper and lower bond pads of the first
3 and second dies at the upper third and the lower first edges, respectively.
- 1 4. The method of claim 1 wherein stacking the upper die comprises:
2 stacking the upper die on top of the second die such that the upper second edge
3 is displaced from the lower second edge by a second distance.
- 1 5. The method of claim 4 further comprising:
2 attaching upper and lower conductors to upper and lower bond pads of the
3 upper and lower dies at the upper and lower second edges, respectively, such that the
4 upper and lower conductors are separated by a conductor distance.
- 1 6. The method of claim 1 further comprising:
2 attaching the lower die to a substrate by a second adhesive layer deposited
3 between the lower die and the substrate.

1 7. The method of claim 1 further comprising:
2 depositing an upper redistribution layer to place bond pads on the upper die.

1 8. The method of claim 7 further comprising:
2 depositing a lower redistribution layer to place bond pads on the lower die.

1 9. The method of claim 1 wherein stacking the upper die comprises:
2 stacking the upper die on top of the lower die, the upper and lower die having
3 same or substantially similar sizes.

1 10. The method of claim 1 wherein attaching comprises:
2 attaching the upper die to the lower die by the first adhesive layer made of a
3 non-conductive or conductive material.

1 11. A method comprising:
2 stacking a plurality of dies on top of one another in a staggering configuration
3 such that an upper die top surface in a pair of adjacent dies faces downward or upward
4 and is displaced by a first distance with respect to a lower die in the pair; and
5 attaching the adjacent dies by an adhesive layer between the adjacent dies.

1 12. The method of claim 11 further comprising:
2 attaching conductors to bond pads of the adjacent dies such that the conductors
3 are separated by a conductor distance.

1 13. The method of claim 11 wherein stacking comprises:
2 stacking the plurality of dies in a first stair-case configuration in a first
3 dimension.

1 14. The method of claim 13 wherein stacking further comprises:
2 stacking the plurality of dies in a second stair-case configuration in a second
3 dimension.

1 15. The method of claim 11 wherein stacking comprises:
2 stacking the plurality of dies in a first alternate staggering configuration in a
3 first dimension.

1 16. The method of claim 15 wherein stacking further comprises:
2 stacking the plurality of dies in a second staggering configuration in a second
3 dimension.

1 17. The method of claim 11 further comprising:
2 depositing a redistribution layer to place bond pads on at least one of the
3 plurality of the dies.

1 18. The method of claim 11 wherein stacking comprises:
2 stacking the plurality of dies having same or substantially similar sizes.

1 19. The method of claim 11 wherein stacking comprises:
2 stacking the plurality of dies on top of a substrate; and
3 attaching a bottom die of the plurality of dies to the substrate by an adhesive.

1 20. The method of claim 11 wherein attaching comprises:
2 attaching the adjacent dies by the adhesive layer made of a non-conductive or
3 conductive material.

1 21. A die assembly comprising:
2 a plurality of dies stacked on top of one another in a staggering configuration
3 such that an upper die top surface in a pair of adjacent dies faces downward or upward
4 and is displaced by a first distance with respect to a lower die in the pair; and
5 an adhesive layer between the adjacent dies to attach the adjacent dies.

1 22. The die assembly of claim 21 further comprising:
2 conductors attached to bond pads of the adjacent dies such that the conductors
3 are separated by a conductor distance.

1 23. The die assembly of claim 21 wherein the plurality of dies are stacked in
2 a first stair-case configuration in a first dimension.

1 24. The die assembly of claim 23 wherein the plurality of dies are stacked in
2 a second stair-case configuration in a second dimension.

1 25. The die assembly of claim 21 wherein the plurality of dies are stacked in
2 a first alternate staggering configuration in a first dimension.

1 26. The die assembly of claim 25 wherein the plurality of dies are stacked in
2 a second staggering configuration in a second dimension.

1 27. The die assembly of claim 21 further comprising:
2 a redistribution layer to place bond pads on at least one of the plurality of the
3 dies.

1 28. The die assembly of claim 21 wherein the plurality of dies having same
2 or substantially similar sizes.

1 29. The die assembly of claim 21 further comprising:
2 a substrate attached to a bottom die of the plurality of dies by an adhesive.

1 30. The die assembly of claim 21 wherein the adhesive layer is made of a
2 non-conductive or conductive material.